

May 15, 2021

Dear Families and Friends Near and Far,

Greetings from all here at the Mullen Home — so blest by God as we continue to have no Coronavirus among us and no positive COVID test results! Although there is general excitement over the new liberties that CDC is allowing across the country, the State health department has not yet approved this easing up of restrictions for Colorado nursing homes. We are awaiting further word on that.

We are happy to see our Residents enjoying their in-room family visits, and we now have a volunteer to serve as the required monitor for outdoor visits once a week. Scheduling those visits will be the same as for the indoor visits, through texting (720) 682-8520 by noon on Friday of the previous week. The volunteer will plan to come — and outdoor visits will be available — on whatever day has the nicest weather forecast each week; we will communicate that to you week by week.

We are delighted to welcome Sr. Michael Anthony and Sr. Sarah to our community this week, and Mother Paul in a few more days. Mother Mercy has left us and is settling in at her new assignment in Palatine, Illinois, and Sr. Caroline John and I will be taking leave of the Mullen Home on May 22<sup>nd</sup> for our new assignment at the Little Sisters' Home in Louisville, Kentucky. Sr. Mary William will be with us a bit longer before she departs for her new assignment in St. Paul, Minnesota.

In the midst of the comings and goings which are all a part of God's plan, the beautiful charism of St. Jeanne Jugan lives on here at the Mullen Home in all its radiance. We Little Sisters thank you for being a part of our family, and for your prayers for us—as we pray also for you.

May God bless you all!  
In Jesus' peace and joy,  
*Sr. Carolyn, lsp*